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All hope of saving any on board the submarine M-1 has been abandoned and a burial service was held at sea on ships of the navy at about the place where the submarine was last seen. Wreaths were thrown to the sea at the conclusion of the service.

The British Admiralty has announced that the sinking of the submarine

ceedings before the League of Nations between Britain and Turkey with respect to Mosul are neither arbitration nor mediation and that the Council of the League must fix the boundary between Iraq and Turkey by a unanimous vote in which neither Britain nor Turkey must be included. As it is quite unlikely that the League Council can arrive at a unanimous decision, and equally unlikely that

General Primo Rivera, the head of the Spanish directory, has issued a statement that the Spanish government will make no peace now with Abd-El-Krim. He seems to believe that the Moorish leader is getting near the end of his resources, and

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TUESDAY A

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Wheat, No. 1
Oats, 2 C.W.
Barley, No. 3

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POULTRY WANTED

STARTING ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23
we will buy

Live and Dressed Poultry

Every day for the two weeks following.

We want Turkeys, Geese, Ducks and Chickens

Shipping from every town west of Red Deer. See
local handbills.

Let us know what you have.
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R. PATTERSON, Manager

M.D. OF LOCHEARN

Council meeting held at Leslieville on November 5th. Councilors present, Williams, Randall and Wilson. Minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted as read. By-law No. 3 was given the third and last reading. Proposed By-law No. 4, providing for the imposition of a fine of \$100.00 for infractions of any of the by-laws of the municipality, was, on motion by Councilor Williams, given a first and second reading. Read Cross appeal for donation was laid over for the next meeting. Cancellation of penalties added to the 1924 taxes was authorized in all cases where a credit had been established by road work during 1924. It was resolved to offer Zetesk \$50.00 for the piece of land used for road on the N.W. 35-44-5th. Notice has been received from the Department of the approval of Mr. S. Wilson as Auditor for 1925. Motion by Councilor Williams that the event of being summoned to court for the W. H. Turner case, the Council engage a lawyer to protect the interests of the municipality. Motion by Councilor Williams that the "Reeve and Secretary be authorized to borrow \$1,000.00 from the Imperial Bank at Rocky Mountain House to meet current expenses and that the Secretary be instructed to repay the Bank just as soon as the government grant was received. The Council agreed to clear away the brush on the railway crossing on section 11-39-5 in order to give an unobstructed view of the crossing.

Bills as follows were passed:
M. Bank 1.25
B. Williams 0.50
S. Saarela 10.00
Standard Typewriter 1.50
J. N. Cony 0.45
Province of Alberta 16.15
The Advocate 29.50
The News 8.70
Municipal News 123.20
G. M. Miller 2.45
Province of Alberta 252.50
R. E. C. McGie 50.00
Associated Mortgage 20.00
W. W. Mayberry 18.50
Dept. of Public Health 54.00
W. Chedbourne 1.00
C. Hohm 1.00
F. Britland 4.75
Pay sheets as follows were passed:
Division No. 1 2.50
Division No. 2 40.00
Division No. 3 41.00
Division No. 3 60.50
Division No. 3 70.50
Division No. 3 9.90
Division No. 3 57.70
Division No. 3 15.00
Division No. 3 119.00
Division No. 3 100.50
Division No. 3 62.50
Division No. 4 18.00
Division No. 4 24.00
Division No. 5 23.50
Division No. 5 80.80
Division No. 5 73.00
Division No. 6 37.50

GLENELAN NEWS.

November 17
We now announce with great pleasure the date of our school concert and Christmas tree which everyone will be looking forward to. "The Alabama Minstrels" will make their appearance in the school on the evening of December 22nd. Please—everybody come and enjoy yourselves and we will all join in singing you have ever had. There will be a grand dance in the school after the entertainment.

Threshing will soon be completed. Smith Bros. are threshing at Stevenson's at time of writing and an outfit from Kneehill Valley are threshing the western half of the district.

Misses Mary and Jean were home for Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. Baillie spent Thanksgiving at his home in Elkhorn.

A number from this district attended the ice cream social at Mount Pleasant last Friday and had a most enjoyable time. Here's hoping they'll soon have another.

POOR EMMA!

"I'm going to emigrate," declared the long-suffering husband in desperation.

"Are you?" screamed his wife, jumping at him. "Take that, and that!" And the frail little man shut down. "Now, I want to know," she demanded, "who Emma Grate is. Let me catch you together and I'll hammer one of you with the stone."

BOARD OF TRADE COUNCIL, AND THE PROPOSED REMOVAL OF WHOLESALE BEER WAREHOUSES

The Council of the Board of Trade met on Friday evening. In the absence of the President H. Wilson, W. J. Botterill took the chair. The Secretary, A. T. Stephenson, presented a map contained in a publication issued by the Port of Vancouver authority. This was a map of the prairies, and on it Red Deer was shown as of equal importance from the point of view of a grain centre as Calgary and Edmonton. On some previous issue issued at the Board Red Deer had not been shown at all, but the Secretary had managed to bring home to the Vancouver people the real importance of Red Deer in the grain trade.

Amongst the correspondence was a letter from Camrose enquiring as to the new brick built in Red Deer. J. H. Hannah, of the Calgary Board of Trade, wrote in reply to an enquiry of the Secretary as to the higher freight rate on grain from Red Deer to the Coast as compared with the rates from Calgary and Edmonton. Mr. Hannah stated that there appears to be a complete muddle as to the prevailing rates, and he advised that the Red Deer Board should have the point taken up by S. B. Woods, K.C., who is to represent the Alberta Government at the hearing in Ottawa shortly on the rates question. The unequal rates have been in existence for a considerable time. It was left to the Secretary to take the matter up with the "proper authorities."

The Board endorsed a resolution of the Calgary Board of Trade to the effect that the removal of the work on the Board of Public Utilities necessitated the appointment of a special committee, headed by an expert in financial matters. The question of the proposed floor tax on the removal of the work on the Board of Public Utilities suggested that Lacombe had forestalled Red Deer in the matter by taking up Mr. F. R. G. Gilroy, who is guaranteeing the raising of the necessary money, but Mr. Welliver pointed out that his information was that Red Deer had done exactly what Lacombe had done—made enquiries and decided that for the present it was impracticable to raise the money needed.

It was agreed that at the next session of the Board an effort should be made to get a speaker from Calgary, who could give a comprehensive account of the recent action of the Boards of Trade of all Canada held in Winnipeg.

The Council then took up the question of the proposed removal of the wholesale beer warehouses from Red Deer. The Council, through the press that Mr. Dinling, the Commissioner, contemplates removing the warehouses from Red Deer to the city of Calgary, Edmonton, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat, and sending beer to all other places through the official whisky and rum distillers. Dr. Drumheller has passed a resolution protesting against this proposal. Messrs. Gilroy, of the Calgary Brewing Company, and Urech, of the Lethbridge Breweries, were present and spoke in favour of the removal. Mr. Gilroy pointed out that the change was proposed by Mr. Dinling, who is a Scotchman, and that he had his doubts about the soundness of the system. He asked if there had been any complaints from either the City or the Provincial Police as to the management of the beer trade in the two local warehouses. The Chairman and Secretary assured Mr. Gilroy that there had been no complaints whatever. Mr. Gilroy went on to point out that the removal of the warehouses would mean the loss to the City of five men constantly employed, and the vacation of two sets of premises. This would mean a considerable loss in wages spent in the City and in taxes. He stated that the hotel men did not want the change to be made, and that it could not be made without an amendment of the existing act of the Alberta Legislature. Mr. Urech concurred with Mr. Gilroy. In his view it was the allegations of bootlegging by the warehouses which had led to the proposal for their removal, but there was no foundation for these allegations as far as Red Deer was concerned.

Mr. Hogg said that as far as the moral question was concerned, there seemed to be little difference between men buying beer from warehouses or from the official vendor. Mr. Urech pointed out that there was neither object nor profit in bootlegging by the warehouses. Mr. R. B. Welliver thought that the important point was that Red Deer was being discriminated against, since it was both a city and an important distributing point, and ought not to be treated differently from Calgary or other cities. He favoured a committee of three to draft a resolution of protest. It was felt that it was not appropriate to approach the City Council to support the resolution. Fred Turnbull had some doubts on the subject and was not disposed to support giving the committee power to draft and forward the resolution. He wanted further information. Messrs. Greig and Brazier indicated their support of the resolution of protest, and the Chairman agreed to have a preliminary meeting. Mr. Dinling's proposal was that the removal of the warehouses should be made public in order to make the public aware of the situation, and that therefore, the resolution should be passed and sent on to the City Council for their consideration. After further discussion the committee was left to draft a resolution of protest and to bring it to the next meeting of the Council.

RED DEER DRAMATIC CLUB

The Red Deer Dramatic Club is becoming active again. In accordance with a suggestion made some time ago, it is hoped that there will be at least two plays done this winter by two different groups of the Club. One group is proposing to give in the grand hall at the hands of hostess, "The Village of Bloomsbury," which had such a long and successful run in London when it first appeared. It was hoped that the performances would be given about the middle of December, but in view of the Rotary Club's engagement of the Welsh Singers, it had been thought best to postpone the play till a little later. One unfortunate result of the postponement is that it will not be possible to have the assistance of C. D. Locke in the play. All who have seen that cheerful gentleman in his appearances on the stage in Red Deer will realize that his loss will be seriously felt by the Club. It is not only his capacity as an actor, but his tactful assistance in the preparation of the play that will be missed. The Rev. G. McComas will also leave a gap which will take a good deal of time to fill. Both as the enthusiastic and objectionable man-about-town, "in 'Nothing But the Truth,' and the delectable hero in 'Come out of the Kitchen,' he was very much of a success. However, with such faithful assistance as Mr. G. McComas has been able to give, the Club will be able to perform a performance which will be worth seeing. People will enjoy seeing Miss G. McComas in the leading part, and of course that mercurial representative of the banking world, Mr. G. McComas, cannot fail to be a drawing card. More will be said of this later. The proceeds of the play are to be given to the rink fund. The second group of the Club has not yet announced its choice in the matter of a play, but it can be depended on to be at least as good as that of the first group.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT NORDEGG MINES

A fatal accident occurred at the Nordegg mine on 12th November. James McBeth, of Leslieville, was working with his son Nelson in No. 8 room, West Sander Colliery. About 5 a.m. the son had gone away for a little time to fetch some tools and when he returned he found that his father had fallen from the rock, and was taken by train to Nordegg Hospital, but he died there in the evening. An inquest was held by R. G. G. Gilroy, the coroner, and a verdict returned of accidental death, there being no fault attributable to anybody in the matter.

HOW WOOD'S CHRISTIAN HOMES FOR ORPHAN AND NEEDY CHILDREN WERE FIRST STARTED

In the year 1915, in the little town of Inverness, in the Province of Alberta, the Wood's Christian Home for fatherless and motherless children first found its existence. Initiated had as one of its pastors the Rev. George Wood, who previous to his coming to Canada had been in active work in the Quarrier Institutions in Scotland. There he had become acquainted with the problem of the orphan and needy child, and he had seen the need for the parentless and neglected child. It soon became evident to him that here in the new land, where scattered population and growing towns and cities were many sad cases that needed just such an institution as that from which he had come. His investigations revealed the fact that of all the churches and fraternal orders in the Province, the Roman Catholics were the only ones making any provision for their orphan and needy children. The Beginning of the Home Various distressing cases had come to his notice during his pastorate in Inverness, which had led him to propose the formation of an orphanage in Alberta. Shortly after the proposition had been made, Mr. Wood met a soldier about to leave for active service, who had been married, and understood that you are building an orphanage." Mr. Wood replied, "No, it's not a proposition." "The man," I wish you were. My wife died yesterday in Red Deer hospital, and I have two orphan children, and what I am going to do with them, I don't know." The inspiration came to Mr. Wood. He was the beginning of his Home, and he said, "I'll take them," and take them he did, to his own home, and as others came, to a larger home, until even that came too full; and thus commenced the work that has grown into the institution, known throughout the Province, as the Wood's Christian Homes.

DECEMBER ROD AND GUN

A wealth of good sporting and hunting reading matter leavened with a good deal of news, "The Way of a White Man," is contained in the December issue of Rod and Gun, the magazine of the Canadian outdoors, which has just been published. In addition to regular features, of the magazine being in keeping with the period of the year, the three are very timely and along the Snow-shoe Trail in W. C. Motley's Outdoors. It is particularly interesting. Another refreshingly humorous cartoon by James Price also appears.

An interesting article in connection with the increasing interest in fur farming is Benvenuto Dale's contribution. The life of the Black Fox, dealing with the animal in captivity. A significant note in the matter of the protection of game is the December editorial and the publication of the syllabus of the British Columbia Game and Fish Commission. The development of a Dominion wide protective association is to be the result of the meeting. Published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont.

JOKE

An American had been speaking in a superior manner to an Englishman, who was very bored. At last the American said, "Of course you know the English can never see a joke."

HOW CANADA'S MISSIONARIES ARE PROTECTED

In the present chaotic and disturbed condition of China there is a number of Canadian missionaries, who, like other European missionaries, are in grave danger at the hands of hostile Chinese. A returned missionary, William S. Leonard, wrote a letter to the Toronto Mail and Empire urging that steps should be taken to save them before it is too late. In reply to that appeal the following letter also appeared in the Mail and Empire: Sir—With much interest I read an appeal entitled "Rescue the Missionaries," from a returned missionary, Mr. William S. Leonard, who says that "something ought to be done at once to remove our missionaries from the interior of China to a point of safety." And he suggests that "there is a chance for our British or American friends to reach the interior, two thousand miles up the Yangtze," etc. I agree that something ought to be done at once. The first thing that is done is for Canada either to build a decent navy of its own to protect its own missionaries and subjects, or else to contribute a substantial sum of money to England for the protection of its navy. The last had, or worse, according to individual selfishness, been the case of the Doctrine of the United States. Until we build our own Canadian navy, or contribute the cash to support England's navy, let us stop our empty bragging about Canada's "equal national status" in the Empire. The contribution of the different parts of the Empire to naval defence are:

	Per head
Great Britain, £55,800,000	
Canada, £200,000 (\$1,100,000.00)	£1 4s 10d (6.00)
Australia, £2,318,000	7½d (1.15)
New Zealand, £233,075	8s (1.96)
South Africa, £142,000	8s (1.96)

In other words, whilst England, taxed to death and bearing the main burden of the world, is paying six dollars a head, Canada is paying the noble sum of fifteen cents per head, and claiming "equal status" with England! How proud Canadians should feel over this! Apparently not too proud to expect English or "American" gunboats to go 2,000 miles into the interior of China to rescue our missionaries. Well, Mr. Editor, talk is cheap, but it is time we stopped talking and acted. Let us put up or shut up about our "national status."

SELF-RESPECT.

The Sunday school teacher had called on Johnny's mother to see why that young fellow had been absent from his usual class for the last three Sundays.

"Well," said his mother, "I fear he's learning things that tend to make him mischievous. Recently he's been studying the astrophysics teacher. 'I don't understand you.' 'It's like this,' explained the mother, 'he's come to Canada because on Sunday school he came home convinced that people are made of dust, and frightened me to death by trying to draw his little sister into the vacuum cleaner.'"

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Some Light on the Subject of Lights



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EVEREADY FLASH LIGHTS

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Radio Battery, 22½ volt \$2.10

Radio Battery, 45 volt \$4.45



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The popular line: Automobile D	\$7.00
Automobile C	\$6.00
Olympia Tube Skate	\$5.50
Starr Steel Skates from	\$1.35 to \$5.00

E. G. Johns & Co.

CONDOR

A very interesting meeting of the ladies of the community took place last Wednesday, at which Miss Jean Negard was the recipient of a shower of useful and pretty presents. Miss Negard is to be married on Saturday to Mr. Carter. Miss Negard attempted to thank the meeting, but was overcome by her feelings of appreciation.

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W. J. Botterill
Phone 119

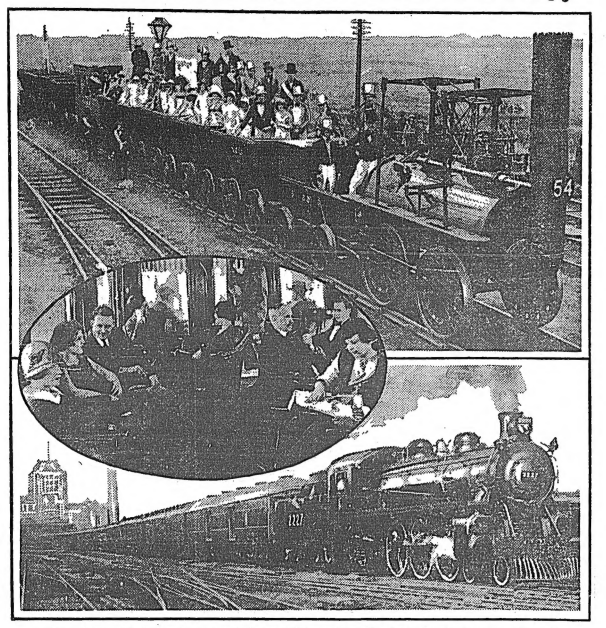
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Phone 129

Britain Celebrates Hundred Years of Railroading.



Upper—Stephen's first engine on the Stockton & Darlington Railway. Inset—The interior of the observation car on the Canadian Pacific Trans-Canada. Lower—The interior of the observation car on the Canadian Pacific Trans-Canada. The Duke and Duchess of York attended the celebrations and watching the parades, became thoroughly infected with the spirit of the occasion. All those who took part in the processions, and some of those who didn't, dressed in the costumes of the period, giving to the celebration an atmosphere of interest in keeping with the nature of the celebration. By way of showing the wonderful development that has taken place in railroading since the first engine puffed its way from Darlington to Stockton there is shown above one of the engines used in the century celebrations pulling a replica of the original train contrasted with the ultra-modern Trans-Canada, the all-steel Canadian Pacific Train, which nowadays conveys its passengers from one part of the Dominion to another, three thousand miles away, at a speed considered unattainable by our forefathers and in greater comfort and security than any of them enjoyed at home.

Anything You Value

Things you value should be protected. Few homes have protection for important papers and securities. A Safety Deposit Box in the Bank may be secured for as little as \$3 per year. A Safety Deposit Box is your protection.

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RED DEER BRANCH H. WILLSON, Manager
Branches also at Sylvan Lake, and Rocky Mountain House.

M.D. OF GOLDEN WEST

The seventh regular meeting of the Council of the M.D. of Golden West, No. 371, was held in the municipal office at Sylvan Lake on November 14, at 8:30 o'clock, with Rev. W. L. Stringer in the chair, and Councillors Fitzgerald, Olsen, Smith and Isaacson, and the Secretary-Treasurer present.

The secretary of the Village of North Red Deer wrote on October 23 in reply to our communication of the 21st. The Secretary was advised regarding reply. The Associated Mortgage Investors of Calgary wrote regarding the Wild Land Tax on N.W. and S.E. 19-28-27-4 and appealed from the Wild Land taxes on the above lands for the years 1924 and 1925. The Secretary was instructed to ask for affidavit covering the improvement of the lands, and the lands, motion made by Mr. Stringer.

The Publicity Commissioner, Department of Agriculture, Edmonton, wrote regarding weed regulations and the checking up of threshing machines operating without a license. Mr. Stringer was instructed to write regarding procedure by the Municipality to recover amounts from the bills paid on account of Mr. Atkins.

The Red Deer Municipal Hospital advised the Murray Benoit of Dan Benoit, had been admitted to the Hospital on October 23. No member of the Council had the above lands for the years 1924 and 1925. The Secretary was instructed to ask for affidavit covering the improvement of the lands, and the lands, motion made by Mr. Stringer.

The matter of delegating to the Municipal Districts convention at Edmonton on November 25, 26 and 27, was next taken up and after full consideration it was decided that two delegates be sent. The Reeve and Secretary were appointed as delegates on motion by Councillor Olsen.

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PUBLIC MEETING ON WESTERN GENERAL QUESTION

The second public meeting to consider and discuss the purchase of the Western General was held last Wednesday evening in the city hall. The interest of the people was shown by the fact that the hall was crowded.

At the outset, Mayor Kilham again suggested that somebody other than himself should be chosen as chairman, and W. E. Lord was unanimously asked to take the chair.

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Northwestern Utilities Limited, Natural Gas Service, 103rd St. and Jasper Ave., Edmonton, November 16, 1925. His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen, City of Red Deer, Alberta.

With further reference to my interview with you on Friday last in respect to a proposal to supply your city with electrical energy for light and power, allow me, at the outset, to express regret at the delay in its submission, due to the fact that I was not aware a by-law would be submitted to the bur-geoness at such an early date as the twenty-third inst.

My associates have for some time considered the submission of a proposal to your city, but have refrained from doing so during the arbitration proceedings between the City and the Western General Electric Co. Hearing that the by-law was about to be submitted, we approached Mr. Moore, I.e., that if the by-law is carried by the requisite majority, we will enter into an agreement with the City, or allow, if necessary, a new franchise to be submitted to the people containing the following provisions:

(a) Term. A franchise to be granted for a term of ten years, renewable for periods of ten years thereafter, at the right, by giving one year's notice, to take over the property at a valuation to be determined by the termination of any ten-year period.

(b) Rates. Rate. Residence and commercial lighting. We offer to meet the effect immediately the following schedule:

Charge your present rate paid for 200 watt lamps, which is \$45.00 per annum. We will also change the present 400 watt (533 c.p.) multiple lamps to 500 c.p. series lamps, and charge you for these also at the same price as you now pay for your 400 watt lamps—at \$1.05 per lamp per annum.

The above rates for street lighting are to be for the same twilight to twilight service which you now have. May I point out that if we acquire and operate the property, it is our intention to use Red Deer as a centre for distribution to other points, the larger undertaking enabling us to secure more economical operation, which will be to the advantage of the city and the consumers.

May I also point out that the amount of money provided for in the by-law to be voted on the 23rd inst. is not sufficient to acquire the property as it now stands, and the inventory of material not included in the award of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners.

Provision is not being made for the installation of a new plant and equipment, and, in consequence, a strategic point in the operation will be continued and the consumers will continue to pay the present high rates.

Eventually a new plant will have to be installed, and then a further by-law will have to be submitted to the people. A suggestion has been made that the electric department of the City of Red Deer will provide the necessary electrical current. If the Provincial and Dominion Governments will consent to give their consent for this development, it would take at least two years before the plant could be installed, and in the meantime, the city would have to put up with the present high rates.

If we are allowed to operate the plant and hydro-electric development of the Western General, we will be glad to purchase power and give our consumers the advantage of any reduction in rates which we might be able to secure. We wish to assure you, and through you the people of Red Deer, that if we are able, it would be to the advantage of the city and the consumers.

Our main endeavor will be to give adequate and continuous service at reasonable rates. Yours very truly, (Sgd.) C. J. YORATH, President.

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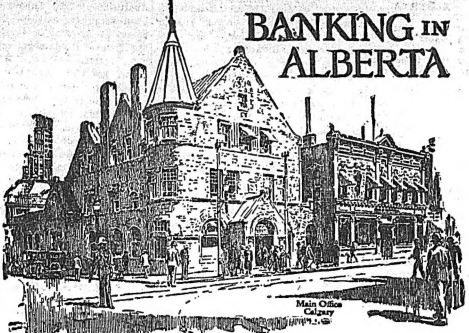
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Our proposal to you is that the city replace the steam pumps with motor-driven centrifugal pumps, suitable to supply the city's water requirements. We would be responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of these pumps, and would operate them as part of our power plant. For the service thus supplied the city, we would propose the following:

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The convention, in the event of the delegates appearing and not being able to attend. Carried.

The following accounts were presented, examined and found correct, and were ordered paid on motion by Councillor Olsen:

Div. 2.—Tom McClellan, \$4; Donald Martin, \$2.25; McArthur Hardware Co., \$2.70; Oscar Solstad, \$16. Div. 4.—Mrs. H. S. Sylvan Lake Co-operative Co., \$14.70. Div. 5.—L. Maderias, \$17.00; E. J. Johanson, \$11.20; John Henderson, \$10. Div. 6.—Mrs. H. S. Sylvan Lake Co-operative Co., \$14.70. Div. 7.—D. A. and H. H. Jamieson, \$7.05.

Motion by Councillor Olsen that the adjourn to meet again on Saturday, December 10, Carried.

A. McCASKILL, Sec.-Treas.

The meeting of the above was held at the home of Mrs. Riley on November 12 with fifteen ladies present. After singing "O Canada" the Creed was read by the President, Mrs. Frost. The minutes were next accepted as read by the President, after which the articles for the year were read.

Mrs. N. Eastman proved the winner of the prize, a cup and saucer, presented by Mrs. Hasto. The total sum realized by the Institute for the children's Xmas tree, after deducting all expenses, was \$58.75.

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A dance and bazaar, under the auspices of the Condor W.I., was held in the community hall on Friday, November 13th. An annual ball of entertainment got up by the Institute proved to be a great success.

The bazaar, under the management of Mrs. H. Eastman and Mrs. H. Meers, brought in a goodly sum of money. The work done by the Institute members was well displayed and showed great ingenuity and artistic handiwork. Articles, leftover from the bazaar, were auctioned during the supper interval by Mr. H. Meers in his usual efficient manner.

Delightful music was provided for the dance by the Heppner Trio. The total sum realized by the Institute for the children's Xmas tree, after deducting all expenses, was \$58.75.

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The chairman then again asked for further questions, and Mr. G. W. Smith, M.L.A., spoke shortly and said that as a shareholder and official of the Western General, he had refrained from taking part in any discussion, but he now felt that in the public interest he ought to state his position, which was that he was entirely in favour of carrying out the arbitration agreement, that he supported the purchase of the plant, and believed it to be sound.

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WHITE TURKISH TOWELLING, in extra heavy quality; 21 in. wide. **60¢ yd.**

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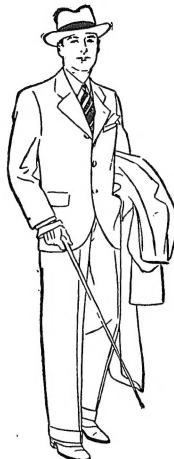
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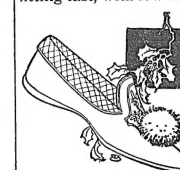
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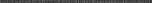
The time to send gifts to any distance is fast slipping by, and everyone should take advantage of the present fine weather to make such purchases. Slippers as gifts have few equals for practicability and comfort. Our stock is now complete and includes felts in many attractive patterns with soft and stiff leather soles. Juliet types, and genuine Indian moccasin slippers, at moderate prices.



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CHURCH NOTICES

St. Luke's (Anglican) Church, Advent Sunday, November 25th: 11 a.m., Matins and Holy Communion; 7.30 p.m., Evensong and induction of Rev. W. J. Merrick by Ven. Archdeacon Dowdney, of Calgary.

Presbyterian Church: Services in this church next Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Keep up the attendance at both services. Sabbath school at 3.30 p.m. Catechism question No. 54. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 8 p.m. The Sunday school lesson will be taken up.

Lutheran Church, Rev. J. E. Hermann, Pastor. Services at 7.30 p.m.; Sunday school at 1.30 p.m.; Services at Hilldown at 3.30 p.m., followed by Sunday school. Hilldown Bible Class meets Thursday evening at 8.00 p.m. Welcome.

First Baptist Church, Sunday, November 25th: 11 a.m., combined service, the church school meeting with the morning congregation. Senior class in the Life of Christ, 7.30 p.m., "A New Mind"—a modern study of repentance.

Poplar Ridge: 2 p.m., Sunday school; 3 p.m., Church service; 7.30 p.m., Sunday school at 12.15 p.m. Anniversary services—Rev. W. A. Smith, of Edmonton, will preach at both services. Special music by the choir. A liberal offering for maintenance and extension fund and home.

The United Church, Pastor Rev. W. Churchill. Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.; Sunday school at 12.15 p.m. Anniversary services—Rev. W. A. Smith, of Edmonton, will preach at both services. Special music by the choir. A liberal offering for maintenance and extension fund and home.

Christian Science Society: Services Sunday at 11 o'clock, subject "Ancient and modern necromancy, alias mesmerism and hypnotism, denounced." Sunday school at 12.10. Testimony meeting the second Wednesday of each month at 8 p.m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Xmas cards and decorations, games, Ma-ma dolls and month-ornaments at John McVicar's bookstore.

CALGARY WINTER POULTRY SHOW

Entries for the Calgary Winter Poultry Show close next Saturday, the 28th November, at 11 a.m. Dykes, as poundkeeper, a number of accounts were passed for payment.

EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

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Come in and look over our new Christmas Gifts and Cards.

We will gladly put aside any article that you may fancy. All gifts neatly boxed and wrapped ready for mailing. We guarantee safe delivery.

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PENHOLD

The regular meeting of the W. I. will be held in the hall on Thursday, November 26. The high school pupils will supply the programme. Everybody welcome.

There shipped so few at the whist driven Friday that there will be no more until after the New Year anyway.

Mr. and Mrs. Langford left on Friday for Portland, Oregon. The young people are enjoying skating on the lake west of the village.

There will be Anglican service at 3.15 on Sunday.

Mr. Simpson and daughter were in Calgary on Sunday. Jean called on Mildred Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Coville, the former of whom was the first U.S.G. man here are in the district and trying to locate.

The Rebekahs are having a ball dance on Friday night. Bone's orchestra.

Mr. Lynes had to be taken to the Red Deer hospital on Friday as he was worse again.

Douglas Walker was a Penhold visitor last week.

Tom Britton has purchased a farm near Eberts.

Kline shipped cattle on Saturday. Threshing is practically finished, and grain is being rushed in at a great rate.

If you want some real bargains in furniture or stoves, you can get them at Best's, opposite the Post Office.

M. D. OF PINE LAKE

A meeting of the Council was held on Monday night. All Councillors were present.

The wild lands tax on W. half, 12 35-54 was struck off.

Mr. Darragh was appointed delegate to the Municipal Convention in Edmonton this week.

It is proposed to make another effort to have the greater part of the municipality included in the Red Deer Hospital District. The secretary will procure petitions for signatures of ratepayers who are interested.

A pound was established on S. W. half, 12 35-54, under Alf Dykes as poundkeeper. A number of accounts were passed for payment.

THE LADIES' COLUMN

By Cecille

WHERE TO SHOP AND WHY

Isn't it wonderful to think the new link is nearly completed, when we'll all be getting cozy cheeks and splendid figures and no end of fun? If you need new skates, you'll find a splendid lot at John's. Almost all the players (including the professional hockey players) are using automobile skates. These are a really fast skate. For those who still prefer the tube style, these are also there in the range. Hockey sticks and shin pads—in short, all the skaters' needs—can be supplied at John's.

In looking around I see a new style in the Coleman gasoline lamp. This lamp is absolutely safe, and most economical. It has a candle-power gives a fine, bright light. There are lanterns, too, on the same principle of a two-piece chandelier set, carried out in soft shades of blue and brown brocade velvet. This is a really imposing style, being large and extremely commodious, with Marshall collar hanging cushions.

There were many things of interest at Gaetz-Evarts', the first being some extremely smart dresses. A number of these are the high-necked style, which is the acme of smartness. They all have the popular full flared skirt, and depend upon the excellence of the lines for style.

Then the dolls—what good dolls! Who wouldn't be a little girl again? To get a "Flossie Flirt" in her stocking.

These little coquettes have over which slide about in the most charming manner, and make voices which address their "mama" in a very natural way. They are faintly reminiscent of the best of all, very moderately priced, so that no "mama" need sigh after them in vain.

There are also Dutch dolls in picture, some native costumes—in fact there are dolls of every type and size.

I found there, too, a large assortment of corage flowers, in every hue and type. It's wonderful how effective these bright touches are on even an old dress. There is also to be found gold and silver tinsel for making that sort of thing.

The last item of interest I found was a collection of fairly beautiful caps and bandeaux. For the inexpensive little gift, these are ideal, being individually lovely, and with a touch of frivolity in their rainbow shades, with rose-buds scattered here and there among their faces.

Smoking is a messy habit, isn't it? And yet (according to Robert Louis Stevenson) it is one to be encouraged in a husband on the grounds that a non-smoking man is a crank! However, its messiness can be eliminated (or at least reduced) if you make your Christmas gift a smoker's cabinet.

See these at Bullock & Callender's. They are gifts in walnut with neat, nickel fittings. I'm sure friend Hubby would be as much pleased with your small son or daughter as with one of their adjustable Kid-Kars. They are constructed of steel, and he is ready to make his little legs strengthen out. They have rubber tires, too, and are collapsible.

Or if it's a little miss you mean to please, why not get a kindergarten set of table and two chairs? This can be used to advantage (and with some care) to the small feelings when the presence of the small person isn't desirable at the grown-up table.

Before leaving this store, I noticed some particularly attractive small rugs, of the bedside size. The colours are so bright and warm that the mere stepping on one would rob getting up of at least some of its horrors!

The winter festivities are in full swing, and you'll need an evening frock. Those at Lord's couldn't, I think, be surpassed for elegance and style. Take, for instance, that georgette and cut velvet in coral. Could anything be more gorgeous and shimmering than that, with its twinkling, brilliant-trimmed skirt? Or the filmy tricot creation, with its rose slip shading so exquisitely through the deeper-than-mauve georgette? Or (if you happen to be a blond) where could you find anything more becoming than the Nile green, with its dainty pink-tipped bodice?

I noticed a display of Christmas handkerchiefs, in all the fashionable colors, amongst them a number of linen ones, which are after all, the most acceptable.

Then there are also the artistic, boxed towels, admirably suited for the more practical gift. Luncheon or breakfast sets in blue and white are also good for the young people, or for one's own use, to save the laundry bill.

In the staple line the all-linen dish toweling, in a nice, wide width, offers a splendid buy.

At Gaetz-Evarts' I found a counter of what is described as the "Big Gift." These are gifts of the maker variety, most appropriately and cheerfully boxed in red boxes. They comprise such trifles as picture frames, leather-covered blotters, small brass pipe rack, needle cases, coat hangers, cigarette cases and holders, and numerous other things, all ready to be wrapped and mailed. They would also make suitable "bridge prizes."

In the books, I found the Boys' and Girls' Own Annual, Chums, and other Christmas books for the young people. Religious books, with illustrations are also to be had there, well as all the latest fiction, for the grown-ups.

You probably noticed for yourself the window display of hammered brass, pottery, etc. Of the brass, the large, oval tray and the candlesticks appealed particularly to me, along with the book-ends, which are very useful.

Coloured candles, a pair to the box, make a very nice little remembrance, and also help out with one's own home decoration for the festive season. These are there in a splendid variety of colours and shapes.

And of course, the Christmas cards. Those who prefer the personal greeting card should order these early. But the "last-minute" will find a large assortment to choose from, all very tasteful and well-chosen.

At Mitchell's Jewellery Store I found a very elegant toilet set after mother-of-pearl. The articles are very quaintly shaped, and can be had in black and gold. Every woman should possess a toilet set of which she'll be justly proud, but unfortunately they do, as there never seems to be money to spend on a purely personal luxury.

A set that is collected piece by piece will be expensive, and give just as much satisfaction when complete, as

if it had been given all together in a leather case.

For our husbands, sons or brothers, I found a lovely collection of sterling cigarette cases. These are not nearly as expensive as one would expect, and are in various designs, one lovely by one being heavily chased, and having metal clasps, instead of the old-fashioned elastic, for closing. The cigarette in place, the idea being that the metal won't wear out (and there's an awful wear and tear on the average cigarette case!).

I noticed one set of case and holder, in a neat, modern gift box. Of course the case may be had in plate, too, at a still more moderate cost.

There are a number of clocks, too, in odd shapes, with the new oval dials. A clock is a lovely gift, it's such a companionable thing. These are the smaller type, admirably suited to den or boudoir.

Somewhat has discovered something new in the way of handbags. Mr. Mitchell will show you how the handles may be put away out of sight carried in the usual fashion, or converted into a wrist-strap. But this unique feature isn't by any means all there is to these bags. They are genuine leather, in all sorts of colours, shapes and sizes, and are most smart.

One in up-to-date. One in some sort of shiny, green leather appealed to me as being most jaunty.

At Parrie's Pharmacy they showed me toilet sets (of powder, rouge, lipstick, sachet powder, toilet water, etc.) in fancy gift boxes.

Women love frivolous gifts, I think, and there is a great satisfaction in that all ones toilet set accessories match, as it were. In "Minty's," "Ma Cherie" or any of the better known producers, a toilet set of this kind would make an ideal gift.

Let us just drop a hint in the right quarter!

I saw there, too, real Japanese incense, in more uncommon odours. It comes in larger boxes for gift purposes, or small ones, "just to have."

Beside the incense, I saw Bridge scores and tallies in a new design. These may be used as combination scores and place cards, and are something different, being made in the Old Country.

I also found a table of English china cups. These are dainty beyond description, and come in the oldest shapes and designs. Close beside the cups may be found large, pottery vases, of the heavy type, for such things as asters and dahlias. These vases may also be used as a lamp stand, being

and if there's anyone still without a radio, now's the time to remedy the defect. At Parrie's you'll find a magnificent instrument, of the five-tube type, whose loud-speaker isn't known production, a toilet set of this kind would make an ideal gift.

We really must not leave everything to the last minute this year. Let's all get out these lovely days and get it over with, so we won't be wrecked by Christmas Day.

BIRTHS

At Mrs. Simon's Nursing Home, November 21, to Mr. and Mrs. James Brooks, of Eberts, a daughter.

At Mrs. Simon's Nursing Home, November 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Good, of Penhold, a son.



78th BATTERY, C.F.A.

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Orders by Major T. C. Lister, M.C., M.M., for week ending November 23, 1925. The battery will parade on Thursday, November 26, at 8.15 p.m.

Details: Gunnery, breech mechanism, Semaphore and Morse practice; receiving and sending messages; and games. The floor of the Armoury is available any night except drill night or other regimental occasions, for basketball and other games. It is hoped that members of the militia will take full advantage of the facility afforded for games and will arrange games with other organizations.

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The rain was coming down in torrents and the soldier, dripping as he was under a spout, was bending forward in an attempt to get the mule over. An umpire galloped up and demanded, "Can't you see this bloomin' bridge is blown up?"

"Can't you see I'm bloomin' well swimming in it," retorted the soldier.

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COMING EVENTS

Remember Knox Presbyterian Church Christmas bazaar on December 5.

St. Luke's W.A. will hold their Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, December 12th.

The Christmas concert in the Willowdale school will be held on the 2nd of December.

The L.O.D.E. will hold a sale of Christmas wreaths and decorations on Saturday, December 26th.

The ladies of the United Church will hold their Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, November 28.

Under the auspices of the Baptist Willing Workers there will be a dramatic play given in the Empress Theatre, December 30th.

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the hall of the Presbyterian Church on Friday, 27th November, at 3.30 p.m.

The U.F.A. of C.F.A. will hold a progressive whist party at the home of Mrs. Fred Hart on Friday evening, November 27th. The members are requested to bring suggestions for the December meeting. All friends in the district are cordially invited.

Red Deer St. Andrews Society will celebrate St. Andrew's Day on Friday next in the McBride Hall (not the Oldfellow's Hall) at 8 p.m. The gates will be open to members of the Society and to members of the Society eligible for membership of the Society. Tickets can be had from W. J. Kirkpatrick.

Horn Hill Christmas Tree will be held in the Oranges Hall, Horn Hill, on Friday, 13th December.

The annual meeting of the Horticultural Society will be held at the City Library at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, 2nd December. Business: Annual reports and election of officers.

THE FIFTH STREET BRIDGE

The Government, under W. Mohring, are completing work on the Fifth Street bridge this week. The City is completing the grading of the bridge. In the course of the work the City water main under the sewer was twice broken into by the piles owing to the main being put out of the expected position. On the first occasion the water had to be shut off from the houses on the east side of the Creek, but the second break was of minor importance. The completion of the bridge will be a convenience for residents in the Wasco district for some of those coming into town from the East, but on the whole there has not been much trouble caused during the time the bridge was not available for traffic.

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LOST—PEARL SUNBURST BROOD in city. Finder please leave at News Office, Reward, Nov. 25, 1925.

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SCATTER SUNSHINE WITH GREETING CARDS. Send a nice card to all your friends this year. The expense is trifling, but the little remembrance means a great deal.

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